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K East Reactor Interim Safe Storage Project

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Briefing Purpose

What is being briefed:

- Purpose of the K East Reactor Interim Safe Storage project
- Project update

What do we want the HAB to do with this information?

Information only; no advice requested







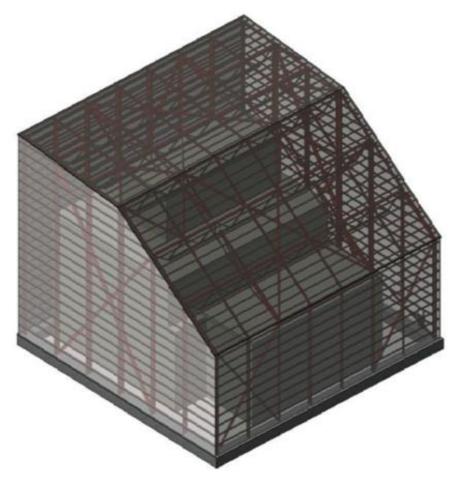
K East Interim Safe Storage Update

Purpose:

The safe storage enclosure will allow radiation inside the reactor to dissipate over a period of decades, until the reactor can be dismantled and safely disposed of

Size:

158 feet long by 151 feet wide by 123 feet tall



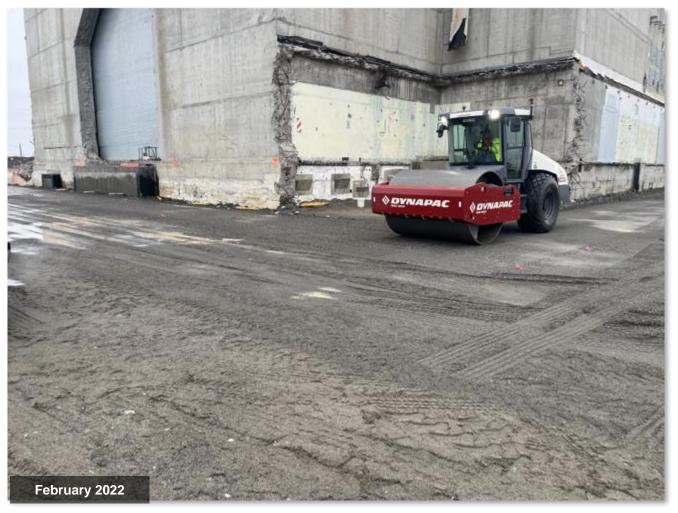
Rendering of 105 K East safe storage enclosure







K East Interim Safe Storage Update (cont.)



K East foundation site preparation







K East Interim Safe Storage Update (cont.)



105 K East foundation formwork and rebar placement



K East foundation concrete pour







K East Foundation Construction Video

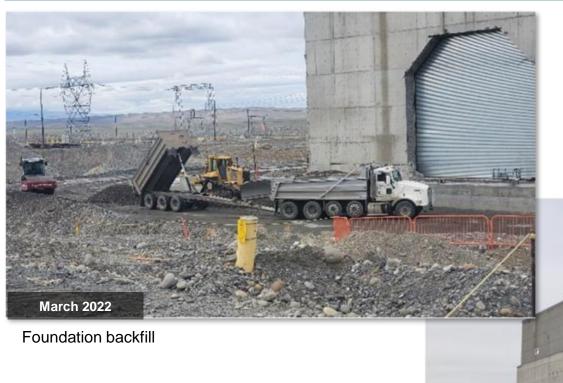
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OsDIpp7phgs







K East Interim Safe Storage Site Preparation





Foundation backfill







K East Steel Update



Steel delivery staged for K East structure

- ✓ Foundation steel fabrication complete
- Steel deliveries continue
- Steel cage erection started in April







Summary / Key Takeaways

- Placing the K East Reactor in Interim Safe Storage is a key component to completing cleanup along the Columbia River
- The steel enclosure is designed to protect the reactor building while radioactivity in the reactor core decays over next several decades, making it safer and easier to complete future disposition of the reactor
- K East Reactor Interim Safe Storage project completion is expected by the end of calendar year 2022





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